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Attorney Docket No. D/99198



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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Hinrich Schuetze et al.**

Application No.: **09/421,416** Group Art Unit: **2772**  
Filing Date: **10/19/1999** Examiner: **Not Yet Assigned**  
For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR QUANTITATIVELY REPRESENTING DATA  
OBJECTS IN VECTOR SPACE**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time under Rule 1.136(a), as specified below, be granted for responding to the Office Action of November 10, 1999 due January 10, 2000.

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One (1) month -	\$ 110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two (2) months -	\$ 380.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Three (3) months -	\$ 870.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Four (4) months -	\$ 1,360.00
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<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> This Petition accompanies a response to said Office Action.	

Please charge the fee for this extension of time, and any other fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16, 1.17, 1.21, and 1.136(a) (but not 1.18), to Deposit Account No. 24-0025. Two duplicates of this sheet are enclosed.

Respectfully requested,

  
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